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REGULAR OR DESIGN APPLICATION

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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING PLASTIC PRODUCTS WITH EMI/RFI/ESD SHIELD

the specification of which:

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_	is attached hereto was filed on <u>July 14, 2003</u>	as Application Serial No.
[]	<pre>10/618,907. was described and claimed in PCT No, filed on under PCT Article 19 on</pre>	and as amended

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I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

I acknowledge the duty to disclose information which is material to patentability as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations §1.56.

PRIORITY CLAIM

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119 (a) - (d) or §365(b) of any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate, or §365(a) of any PCT application which designates at least one country other than the United States of America, listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor's certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

Priority Claimed (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Country) (Number) (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Number) (Country) (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Country) (Number) Priority Not Claimed ANY FOREIGN APPLICATION(S), ON THE SAME SUBJECT MATTER WHICH HAS A FILING DATE EARLIER THAN THE EARLIEST APPLICATION FROM WHICH PRIORITY IS CLAIMED (Day/Month/Year Filed) (Number) (Country) CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF PROVISIONAL APPLICATION(S) I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below. 60/395,686 07/12/2002 (Application Number) (Filing Date) (Application Number) (Filing Date)

CLAIM FOR BENEFIT OF EARLIER U.S. APPLICATION(S) UNDER 35 U.S.C. 120

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